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Switch

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AMENDMENT

This amendment is a timely response to a Final Rejection  
(Paper Number 12) dated September 10, 2003 and is made to place  
the case in better condition for appeal. Please amend the  
application as follows.